





2016

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring volunteer firefighters.

Whereas, These brave and dedicated volunteer firefighters have served courageously and risked their lives daily protecting their communities from the threat of fire;

Whereas, For fifty years these firefighters have answered the call when fire struck Hoosier communities, forsaking all else to protect and serve those in need;

Whereas, It takes a special dedication, a strong desire to help others, and a tireless sense of community to forsake precious time with family and friends to respond to the signal that a neighbor is in need;

Whereas, These brave firefighters, who throughout fifty years of devoted service, have heroically performed, above and beyond the call of duty, those responsibilities which define the task of fire protection;

Whereas, It is right and just to recognize those brave firefighters, who have played a significant role in making our community what it is today, and whose tireless contributions and sacrifices have improved the safety of our residents; and

Whereas, The distinguished service of these firefighters has brought pride and honor to the state of Indiana: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

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SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly wishes to acknowledge the service of these brave firefighters to the state of Indiana and to thank them for their bravery in defending our homes and communities from the threat of fire. The Senators and Representatives wish to congratulate them on 50 years of dedicated service to Indiana. SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Patrick R. Wagner, Beverly Shores Vol. Firemen; Ronald W. Reicheit, Dyer Vol. Fire Department; Charles Huber, Merrillville Vol. Fire Department Station 71; William J. O'Brien, Munster Vol. Fire Department; Gerald W. Doctor, Schererville Fire Department; James Purkey, Lowell Vol. Fire Department; Dewey E. Snow, St. John Vol. Fire Department; A. Ward Tarnow, Kankakee Twp. Vol. Fire Department; Jerry L. Lozier, Bourbon Vol. Fire Department; Kent D. Koontz, Bremen Vol. Fire Department; William M. Cochran, Mentone Fire Department; Everett E. Warren, Mentone Fire Department; Max L. Duncan, Milford Fire Department; Kent D. Trickle, Pleasant Fire Department; Larry D. Starr, Plymouth Fire Department; Don Amber, Churubusco/Smith Twp. Vol. Fire Department; William F. Connelly, LaGrange Vol. Fire Department; William A. Daniels, Washington Twp. Vol. Fire Department; James William Harris, Chester Twp. Vol. Fire Department; Jan C. Smith, Decatur Fire Department; James E. Mosser, Geneva Vol. Fire Department; Thomas H. Somers, Ossian Vol. Fire Department; Ron Hamm, Poe Vol. Fire Department; Steven Edward Hormann, Poe Vol. Fire Department; Michael D. Hoffman, Preble Vol. Fire Fighting Association; Charles L. Booher, Warren Vol. Fire Department; Keith Dale Baldwin, Summitville-Van Buren Fire Department; Billy J. Sunday, Farmland Vol. Fire Department; Robert C. Zook, Burlington Vol. Fire Department; Donald E. Parrish, Brook-Iroquois Twp.; Terry L. Goodman, Richland Twp. Vol. Fire Department; Larry O. Smith, Carthage Vol. Fire Department; Ronnie Leroy Tennell, Flat Rock Citizens Comm.; Butch Spingmeier, St. Paul Vol. Fire Department; Jack G. Gorby, Otter Creek Station 1; Herman R. Cox, Cloverdale Twp. Vol. Fire Department; John A. Davies, Fillmore Vol. Fire Department; Charles A. Muterspaugh, Adams Markleville Fire Prot. Territory; Gary P. Sharrett, Fortville Vol. Fire Department; Don L. Shaw, Jefferson Twp. Vol. Fire Department; Lewis E. Merchant, Knightstown/Wayne Twp. Fire Department; John W. Lyskowinski, Lanesville Vol. Fire Department; Gerald Lee Huebner, Loogootee Vol. Fire Department; Marvin Eugene Howell, Anderson Twp. Vol. Fire Department; William R. Garrett, Luce Fire Territory; William T. Scott, Moorefield Comm. Fire Department; Thomas L. Feldman, Etna Twp. Vol. Fire Department; Clarence P. Ley, Madison Twp. Vol. Fire Department; Edwin L. Stone, Hope Vol. Fire Department; William H. Keister, Farmland Vol. Fire Department; Roy N. Ludwig, Farmland Vol. Fire Department; Thomas R. Milne, Munster Vol. Fire Department; Norman Crocker, Harris Twp. Vol. Fire

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Department; Lloyd E. Wright, Salamonia Vol. Fire Department; and their families. 1 2



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